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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

James M. Kates

Serial No.: 10/008,268

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For: DYNAMIC RANGE COMPRESSION USING DIGITAL FREQUENCY WARPING

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

P.O. Box 1450

In response to the Office Action, dated September 7, 2006, please amend the application in accordance with the following amendment sheet(s).

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.